## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims:**

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1. (Currently Amended) A canister mounting structure comprising:

a vehicle frame including longitudinally extending left and right rear side frames and a plurality of crossmembers extending between the rear side frames;

a subframe mounted to a rear portion of the vehicle frame for supporting rear suspensions; and

a canister having an absorbent for absorbing fuel gases generated by evaporation in a fuel tank;

the canister being disposed within a space between a front end and a rear end <u>and</u> between right and left ends of the subframe, the subframe extending such that it connects to the rear side frames that extend longitudinally along right and left sides of the canister and connects to the crossmember, the crossmembers extending between the rear side frames along front and rear sides of the canister.

2. (Original) A canister mounting structure according to claim 1, wherein:

the vehicle frame includes longitudinally extending left and right rear side frames, at least one crossmember extended between the rear side frames, and a floor panel provided over the left and right rear side frames and the crossmembercrossmembers; and

the canister is arranged forward or rearward of between two of the crossmember, arranged above the subframe, arranged at a height to practically contact an undersurface of the floor panel, and arranged higher than the fuel tank, but lower than the floor panel.